

**BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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In the Matter of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b))	
Table of Allotments)	MB Docket No. 05-162
FM Broadcast Stations)	RM -11227
(Enfield, New Hampshire, Hartford and)	
White River Junction, Vermont and)	
Keeseville and Morrisonville, New York))	

To: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
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COMMENTS OF GREAT NORTHERN RADIO, LLC

Great Northern Radio, LLC ("Great Northern"), pursuant to Sections 1.401 and 1.420(i) of the Commission's Rules and by its counsel, hereby submits these Comments in connection with the Notice of Proposed Rule Making issued in this proceeding.¹ The NPRM proposes, among other matters, the allocation of Channel 282A at Enfield, New Hampshire.

Great Northern believes that the rule making petition will serve the public interest. Each proposed allotment in the rule making petition is mutually exclusive with the existing allotments and will provide the requisite coverage to the communities involved. The proposal will result in a preferential arrangement of allotments consistent with the FM Allotment Priorities by providing the communities of Enfield and Morrisonville each with a first local service and eliminate a grand-fathered short-spaced allotment for WXLFFM while not depriving any

¹ See *In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Enfield, New Hampshire, Hartford and White River Junction, Vermont and Keeseville and Morrisonville, New York)*, MB Docket No. 05-162 (RM-11227) (rel. April 8, 2005) (Assistant Chief, Aud. Div.) ("NPRM"). The NPRM authorizes the filing of Comments by May 31, 2005. Thus, these Comments are timely filed.

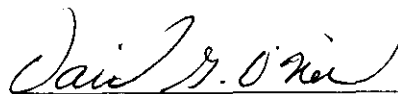
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existing community of a first local service.² Should the Commission implement the proposed changes to the FM Table of Allotments, Great Northern hereby states that it will timely participate in any auction for the new allotment at Enfield, file the necessary application for a construction permit for a new station at Enfield, and will construct the new facility in a timely manner.

WHEREFORE, FOR THE FOREGING REASONS, Great Northern Radio, LLC respectfully requests that the Commission issue an Order in the instant proceeding and modify Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's Rules in accordance with the NPRM.

Respectfully submitted,

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² See *Revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures*, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1982), *recon denied*, 56 RR 2d 448 (1983).

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